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FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION  
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

Honorable Bob Krueger  
United States Senator  
1919 Smith, Suite 800  
Houston, Texas 77002

Dear Senator Krueger:

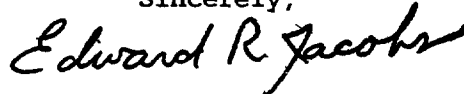
This is in reply to your letter of April 5, 1993, in which you inquired on behalf of your constituent, Steve Dale, regarding the Notice of Proposed Rule Making (Notice) in PR Docket No. 92-235, 57 FR 54034 (1992). This Notice proposes comprehensive changes to the Commission's Rules governing the private land mobile radio services operating in the frequency bands below 512 MHz.

The proposals in the Notice reflect to a large extent concepts and proposals submitted in the initial inquiry stages of this proceeding. None of the proposals set forth in the Notice, however, are engraved in stone. Indeed, the proposals represent our best judgment at this stage of the proceeding on steps that must be taken to improve the regulatory climate for users of the private land mobile radio spectrum below 512 MHz. I have enclosed for your information a copy of that part of the Notice that describes the numerous proposals, plus a discussion paper released March 1, 1993. In summary, the vast majority of the channels below 512 MHz are and will continue to be used by several hundreds of thousands of licensees for internal communications. Furthermore, existing equipment can remain in operation until 2004-2012, depending on geographic location.

We are sensitive to the needs of all users of spectrum and the impact that these proposals may have on their radio systems. We will endeavour to protect private land mobile radio systems, regardless of the size of the entity. Your letter will be included in the record of this proceeding and will be fully evaluated when we develop final rules in the proceeding.

We want to thank you for your interest in this proceeding. We expect final rules to be issued in 1994.

Sincerely,



Edward R. Jacobs  
Deputy Chief, Land Mobile & Microwave  
Division

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## CONGRESSIONAL CORRESPONDENCE TRACKING SYSTEM 04/12/93

### LETTER REPORT

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## CRYSTAL COMMUNICATIONS

March 15, 1993

BEFORE THE  
FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20554

In the Matter of)

Replacement of Part 90 by Part 88 to)  
Revise the Private Land Mobile Radio)  
Services and Modify the Policies )  
Governing Them )

PR Docket No. 92-234

COMMENTS OF Steve Dale, JD Instruments, Inc.

Dear Sir:

We are distressed over the proposed "refarming" of the frequency spectrum from 150-512 MHZ, better known as Part 88. Although this is promoted as an attempt to increase spectrum efficiency and technology development, it seems to actually be a monopolistic grab by a few large corporations.

We oppose this regulation and urge you to prevent its implementation. Aside from creating a monopoly controlled by a few large corporations, it would also force cities, counties, states, and industries to needlessly replace their current radio equipment.

We look forward to hearing your thoughts on this matter.

Sincerely,



Steve Dale  
President